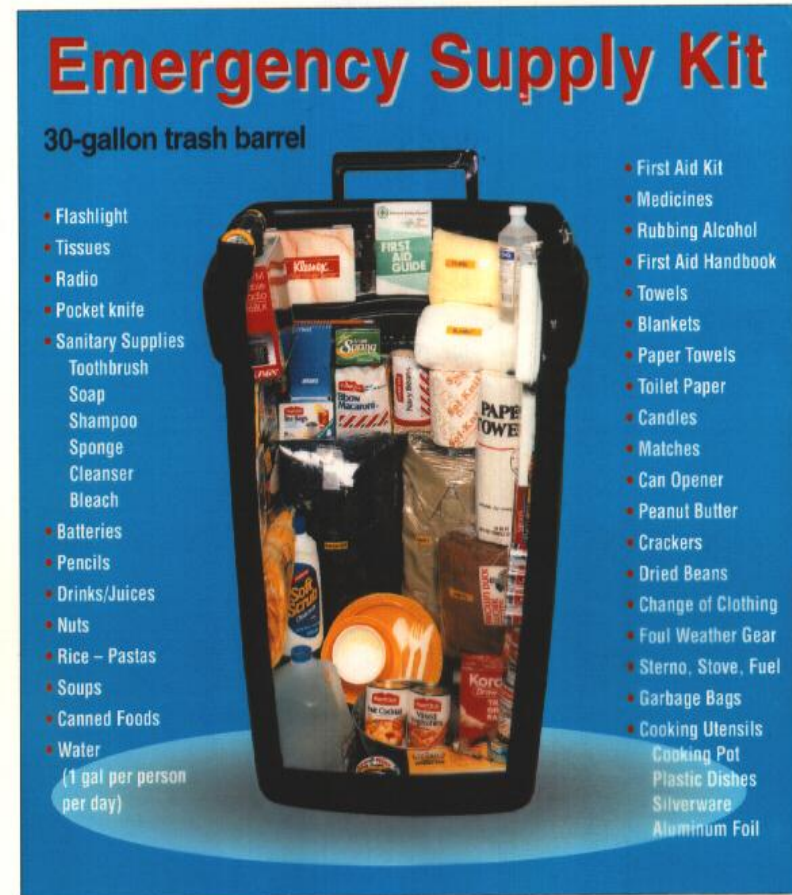


Emergency Supply Kit

One of the most important tools for emergency preparedness is your Emergency Supply Kit. You'll need provisions to carry you for a period (perhaps a week or more) after the storm. Remember, there may be no electricity or clean water for days. Below are some important items for your Emergency Supply Kit. Stock up today; store them in a water-resistant container; and replenish as necessary, especially at the beginning of the hurricane season.

- Drinking water/containers: At least a five to seven day supply (one gallon per person per day)
 - For cleaning purposes - fill the bathtub with water just before the storm.
- Food –At least a five to seven day supply of non-perishable/canned food
 - Foods for infants or the elderly
 - Non-electric can opener
 - Cooking tools / fuel
 - Paper plates / plastic utensils
- First Aid Kit / Medicines / Prescription Drugs
- Flashlights, portable radio, batteries, candles & matches
- Toiletries / Hygiene items / Moisture wipes
- Special Items - for babies and the elderly
- Clothing - seasonal / rain gear/ sturdy shoes
- Other Precious commodities
 - Gas (keep auto gas tank full)
 - Cash (With no power, banks may be closed, checks and credit cards may not be accepted, and ATMs may not be operational).
 - Ice & turn refrigerator to it's coldest setting before the storm
 - Charcoal, wooden matches and grill
 - Mosquito repellent
 - Pet Supplies



- ✓ Check your portable radio and battery-operated lights and flashlights
- ✓ Monitor weather broadcasts for current conditions and advisories from local emergency management officials
- ✓ Rotate food supplies every six months
- ✓ If you evacuate, be sure to post a prominent note telling where you've gone
- ✓ Provide for your pets, especially if you evacuate

NOTE: This list is not intended to be all-inclusive. You must decide what supplies are best suited for you and your family's survival. This list contains only suggestions for your consideration.